

## **Electricity Oversight Board**

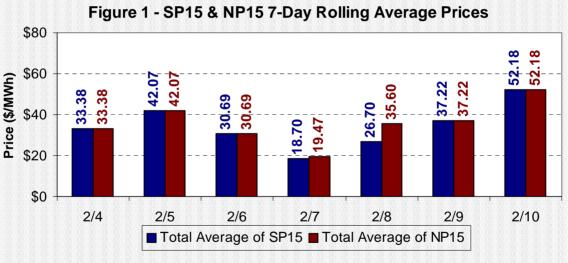
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The average zonal price increased by 40 percent for SP15 and NP15 to \$52.18/MWh. Average temperatures across the state increased by 2 to 5 degrees and ranged between 63 and 70 degrees. Otherwise indicating factors for the day pointed toward higher prices such as:

- Higher natural gas prices. The average natural gas price increased by 1 percent to \$5.27/MMBtu.
- High generation outages. Although the generation outage levels dropped as low as 8,354 MW the high remained above 9,800 MW.
- Higher demand. The average actual demand increased by 84 MW.

In an effort to mitigate intra-zonal congestion, the CAISO requested decremental energy bids for the Miguel Imports including both the Palo Verde and CFE Branch Groups between 1 a.m. and midnight.

The CAISO changed the transmission capacity rating changes for the El Dorado-Moenkopi 500kv Branch Group in both directions between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.







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